

MANSS TO SPEAK TO BUSINESS MEN

Famous Industrial Organizer Will
Tell of His Work at Cham-
ber Dinner To-Night.

SHOWS HOW IT HELPS SOUTH

Mutual Enterprise Endeavor to
Bring Buyer and Seller
Into Closer Touch.

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce, together with representatives of local commercial organizations and several railways, will assemble at dinner to-night in the Jefferson Hotel to hear W. H. Manss, vice-president and general manager of the Southern Settlement and Development Organization, explain the scheme by which his association expects to market the natural resources of the South for the greatest profit to the owners. This will be the first appearance of Mr. Manss in Richmond.

The Southern Settlement and Development Organization is a co-operative association supported equally by railways and commercial bodies in the Southern States. It is in no sense a profit-making scheme, and handles no money except contributions necessary to defray the expenses of the office force. The object of the organization is to find the best market for mineral and farming products in the South, and to bring the buyer and seller together. It receives no commission for its efforts, but in return performs this service only for members of commercial bodies that support it. It is distinguished by a number of features.

Famous Industrial Worker.
President T. M. Carrington, of the Chamber of Commerce, has several times been requested to bring this organization to the attention of the chamber, and it is possible to have the chamber take membership in it. Mr. Carrington, however, said that he could not present the matter unless Mr. Manss first came here and explained fully the object of the Southern Settlement and Development Organization. The dinner to-night is the result of these negotiations.

Mr. Manss is a graduate of Wittenburg College, Yale University, the University of Berlin and has studied at Oxford. He organized the industrial department of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway, performed the same service for the Chicago Association of Commerce, and initiated the National Wool Warehouse among the Western wool growers. With Prof. W. G. Hogan he originated the farmers' institute trains which have been operated with such success in many States. He became the general manager of the Southern Settlement and Development Organization in March.

RICHMOND TREATMENT FOR HERMID.

Young Man Lately Stabbed Will Seek Local Attention.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Bristol, Va., November 17.—Charles Derrand, a Bristol young man, who was badly stabbed as the result of trouble with a girl, and who has been in the hospital several weeks ago, will be taken to Richmond this week for a second operation, with the hope of curing the infection that prevents the wound in the back from healing. His condition has been serious ever since the stabbing. The young man who assaulted him is set to be tried this morning in the Federal Court, last week having resulted in a mistrial.

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POLICE DRILLS RESUMED TO-DAY

Completion of Additions at First
Station Makes Plan for Peri-
odical Work Possible.

PISTOL RANGE ALSO READY

Chief Will Require All Officers
Shooting at Target to Become
Good Marksmen.

After having been dispensed with for some time, Chief of Police Werner today will again begin regular drills for all members of his department. This is made possible by the completion of additions to the First Police Station, which have been in progress since last summer. The improvements cost nearly \$10,000. The new drill hall and pistol range, which will be in readiness this morning, is 100 feet long, and gives ample space to drill a squad of thirty men.

Orders were issued yesterday by Major Werner directing all officers of the First District who are off duty to report for drill this afternoon at 4 o'clock. To-morrow afternoon the remaining officers will be drilled. The men of the Second District will be called out on Thursday and Friday. Third District policemen will report at either of the drills. Captain George W. Egan, who took the hall at the First Station, has been detailed by Major Werner as drill-master.

Had No Space for Drills.
"We practically had to dispense with drills because we had no available space in which to conduct them," said Major Werner. "The military command of the city were kind in offering us the use of their armories, but this plan never proved satisfactory. Now that the hall at the First Station is completed, we can have periodical drills. I believe it will be of great benefit to the department."

Major Werner is also deeply interested in improving the marksmanship of his men. The new range, which has been installed, is the most up-to-date in the city. It is the chief's plan to require his men to do a certain amount of target practice each month, at their own convenience. "I am going to require them to make a certain average, and if any fall below the designated standard, they must keep practicing until they reach it," he said.

The new station also means the revival of the school for instruction which will be conducted by a committee from the Board of Police Commissioners and the chief.

The horses of all districts, where the horses of all districts will be quartered, will be completed next week. For some time the horses of the First District have been cared for in a private stable.

Oedell Acquitted in Wye.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Wye, Va., November 17.—In Circuit Court the case of the Commonwealth against L. N. Oedell, policeman at Coopers, for striking Sheriff Kiser over the head with a pistol in attempting to arrest Kiser, resulted in acquittal.

Tom Murphy was also acquitted for shooting Cowan Wright in the head with a shotgun.

Big Industrial Organizer



W. H. MANSS.

NEWS OF SOUTH RICHMOND

DONNELL IS INDICTED

Grand Jury Finds True Bill Against
Negro Who Stabbed Rudolph Ellerson.

A true bill was found yesterday afternoon by a grand jury in Hustings Court, Part II, against John Donnell, colored, who is charged with feloniously stabbing Rudolph Ellerson, a clerk employed by the R. L. Sowers Distilling Company. The assault occurred on October 3 in the store of the company on upper Hull Street. Following a quarrel, the negro, who was a driver for the concern, drew a knife and cut Ellerson in several places, inflicting deep wounds. Donnell was held by Mr. Sowers until the police arrived.

Edridge Robinson, colored, was indicted on four counts, charging him with cutting Deputy Sergeant John H. Hastings, of Hustings Court, Part II; George Finney and W. H. Kelly. On Saturday night, November 9, Hastings attempted to arrest Robinson, who was raising a disturbance in a saloon on lower Hull Street. The negro slashed him on the hand with a sharp knife, and brandished it before those who interfered. Officer John Lee, who responded to a riot call, arrested Robinson. The trial was set for November 24.

The grand jury also found a true bill against Hattie Randall, alias Hattie Woodridge, who is charged with feloniously assaulting Linwood Fleming on November 3. The case was set for trial on November 25. The case of H. F. McCay, who appeared from Police Court, Part II, will be heard on December 31. Pattie House, who appeared from a fine, will be arraigned before a jury on November 25.

Sets Civil Docket.

Judge Ernest H. Wells set the civil docket yesterday as follows:
Lena B. Woods vs. the Virginia Railway and Power Company, November 19; Sydney & Hundley

BATTLE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH

Ridgely Lady Tells of Her Fierce
Struggle and How She
Finally Won

Ridgely, Tenn.—"If it had not been for Cardui, the woman's tonic," says Mrs. Jennie Estes, of this town. "I honestly believe I would have been in my grave to-day. Therefore, I want to say something good for Cardui, but I can't begin to say enough. I was sick abed with womanly troubles from February until October, and was in very bad condition. I was treated three or four times a week, but it did me no good. I battled between life and death, and my husband thought surely I would die."

One day I thought I would give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. I had no confidence in it at all, but bought a bottle. In a few days I was up and doing my housework. Now, I have gained 15 pounds and feel as well as I ever felt in my life.

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against Mrs. John H. Shotwell, November 20; Robert Lee Talley against the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, November 21 and 22; H. B. Stokes against the Universal Screen and Blind Door Company, December 1; D. B. White's administrators against the Richmond Structural Steel Company, December 2 and 3; W. H. Blunt against the Virginia Railway and Power Company, December 4; R. L. Jones's administrators, December 5; H. W. Rawles against the Richmond Structural Steel Company, December 9; Charles Burt against Moses Hoffheimer, December 10; Weary & Alford Company against the American National Bank, December 11; Samuel Meyer and Emma Meyer against the Virginia Railway and Power Company, December 8; Walter Kidd against P. D. Lipscomb, December 12 and 13; M. Campbell against R. H. Richardson, December 13; Manning's administrators against Joseph C. Thaup, December 15; A. T. Gay against the Merchants Cold Storage Company, December 17; Charles E. T. Steward against George Vehicle Company against the Broad Street Bank and others, December 19; Samuel Register against Archie K. Briggs, December 19; Apperson Lee Motor Company against Eastern Motor Sales Company, December 20; Willie C. Houston against the Virginia Railway and Power Company, November 26; Fulton Brick Works against H. S. Driscoll, December 30; E. T. Bass against James Robinson, December 31; McMichael and McCheson against Cicero Thornton, December 31; B. E. Smith against E. A. Catlin, January 2; S. A. Goode against John T. Tignor, January 4; W. Duncan Lee against Elizabeth A. Rountree and W. Duncan Lee against Fred Scott Campbell, December 29; Adair H. Sanders against M. L. Wildhorse, January 5; W. P. Veiten against J. T. Nuckolls, January 7.

PLAN BIG INITIATION

Indiana Tribe Arranges for Exercises
at Meeting Last Night.

At an enthusiastic meeting last night in Toney's Hall plans were discussed and an interesting program arranged for the big class initiation, to be held on December 1, by Indiana Tribe, No. 52, Improved Order of Red Men. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant time was spent. The report of the membership committee was read, and it was shown that about fifty new members had been secured.

The big initiation and pow-wow, which, from all indications, will be the largest ever held before on the South side, will be staged with all ceremony and pomp of the order. It is expected that 100 candidates will be initiated, the membership committee having set the number at 100. The lodge now has 100 members.

Find Other Alleged Footpad.

Although no arrest has been made, Officer W. E. Waymack has located and secured the confession of the man, who, as the companion of W. L. Blunt and Herbert Cox, is said to have held up and robbed W. L. Atkins, a deaf-mute, on November 8, near Fourteenth and Main Streets. The two men are now being held on the technical charge of being suspicious characters, suspected of committing a felony, but the police say they have found positive evidence of their guilt as the robbers.

Justice Maurice yesterday continued the case until November 24, in Police Court, Part II. Blunt and Cox were identified by Atkins as his assailants, they being picked out of about twenty men.

Funeral of D. E. Baber, Jr.

The funeral services of D. E. Baber, Jr., a seven years old boy, son of D. E. Baber, Sr., who died on Saturday night in the home of his aunt, Mrs. M. E. Hinnant, 206 West Fourteenth Street, were held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Kincheloe officiated. The burial was in Maury Cemetery.

General News Notes.

A reception was given on Saturday night at their new home, 819 Decatur Street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Frederick Garrett, who were married on Wednesday afternoon. The couple returned Saturday morning from a Southern trip. A large number of friends were present.

City gas is now being used on the Southside, having been turned on for the first time last week. The pipes had been laid for several months, but could not be used on account of the cold, which the mains run, not being completed.

Mrs. Charles R. Lane, of 3303 Semmes Avenue, Woodland Heights, is recovering from a recent operation at the Johnston-Willis Sanatorium.

Mrs. J. P. Robinson, of McDonough Street, is visiting in Norfolk.

BUILDING RECORD STEADILY DECLINES

Figures For Ten Months Ending
October 31 Reveal 42 Per
Cent Loss.

SITUATION IS NOT ALARMING

Residential and Ordinary Business
Construction, Says Butler,
Holding Its Own.

Richmond's building operations for the ten months ending October 31, 1913, show a loss of 42 per cent, compared with the building activity of the corresponding ten months in 1912. During the same period the building loss of the country at large, as far as it can be determined by the record of fifty-six representative cities, reporting to the American Contractor, was 11 per cent.

The comparatively poor showing of this city is chargeable directly, according to Building Inspector Butler, to the small number of big building projects engineered this year. In point of actual permits issued, the record is almost normal. This is indicated by the figures for October, 1913, which show that in that month the Building Inspector's office issued eighty-seven permits, as against eighty-eight permits for the same month in 1912.

While the number of permits is almost identical for the two months, there is a wide discrepancy in their value. The value of the operation for which eighty-seven permits were issued last month was \$147,060, as against \$426,520 for the eighty-eight permits issued in October, 1912.

Ordinary Building Normal.
"The large percentage of loss reflected by the periodical reports this year," said Building Inspector Butler, yesterday, "makes the building situation in this city appear darker than it is. Ordinary building, both commercial and residential, has shown no material decline. In the past several weeks activity in this field has been steadily on the increase. The loss arises chiefly from comparison with last year, which witnessed the erection of several large office buildings and hotels. It was a year of unusual activity, and established a record which only another year of unusual activity could equal. All things considered, I think Richmond is holding her own."

Most of the fifty-six cities reporting to the American Contractor show losses for the month of October, 1913. Among the Southern losers are: Atlanta, 54 per cent; Baltimore, 31 per cent; Louisville, 35 per cent; Memphis, 72 per cent; Richmond, 65 per cent, and Shreveport, 44 per cent.

Twenty-three cities report gains: The chief gainers are: Albany, 114 per cent; Cedar Rapids, 135 per cent; Chicago, 55 per cent; Columbus, 72 per cent; Dallas, 59 per cent; Kansas City, 72 per cent; Peoria, 92 per cent; Pittsburgh, 71 per cent, and Toledo, 115 per cent.

\$45,000 in New Permits.
Permits for new work aggregating \$45,000 were issued by the Building Inspector's office yesterday. The big-

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West of the lot went to Miller & Rhoads, who will build three brick tenement and store buildings at 319-23 West Broad Street, at a cost of \$32,032. The buildings are to be three stories high. Other permits were issued yesterday as follows:
Luther Wright, to build two detached brick dwellings on the east side of Davis Avenue, between Stuart and Kensington Avenues, at a cost of \$10,200.
Mrs. Page West, to repair brick dwelling at 1507 Hanover Avenue, \$100.
S. M. Munden, to build a one-story frame dwelling on Twenty-fourth Street, between S. and T Streets, \$350.
T. Ellis, to build a one-story frame dwelling at 1503 North Twenty-sixth Street, \$500.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Licenses to marry were issued yesterday by the clerk of the Hustings Court to Thomas Francis Dempsey, Jr., and Margaret Munro; Carroll R. Guthrie and Bertha G. Goode.

Judge Waller R. Staples, of the Corporation Court of Roanoke, was designated by Governor Mann yesterday to hold a part of the November term of the Circuit Court of Grayson County for Judge A. A. Campbell.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday in the Circuit Court of Henrico County to Arthur D. West and Lillian R. Preston, and William E. Portwidge and Rosella Urban.

A. Greenwald, a druggist, of 500 West Broad Street, yesterday reported to the police that his store was entered by means of a coal chute some time during the night and his cash register broken open and robbed. The sum of \$17 was found missing.

A team owned by J. C. Miller, of 1103 Grove Avenue, and driven by Rufus Cooper, yesterday collided with an automobile of the White Auto Service Company in Broad Street, near Elba Station. The damage was trifling, and no one was hurt.

H. W. Watson, of Fairmont, W. Va., brother of the former United States Senator Watson, was operated on at St. Elizabeth's Hospital on Saturday. His condition is serious, but it is expected that he will recover.

"BOOTLEGGERS" CAN'T EVEN WALK

Men Who Thought They Could
Evade New Liquor Law
Strike a Bump.

Bristol, Va., November 17.—The "bootleggers" which would make up the deficiency in the supply of "wet goods" in the dry territory of Tennessee, following the enactment of a law recently limiting shipments to one gallon to each person, and then for personal use only, have stumbled against authority. Those who have stocked their homes with liquor, and who have been found more than a gallon for personal use, are being seized by the law. No more can be carried by hand for personal use than a gallon, by express, so that the "bootleggers" find themselves confronting a situation that he little dreamed of.

Special Officer Ben U. Bolton, of the Southern Railway, has his eye on individuals who undertake to violate the new law in Tennessee by carrying more whiskey than the law allows, and it is his purpose to "rope in" such persons. It is said that it matters not whether the whiskey is bought for shipment or for personal use, but he is devoted to just the same required to give his name in together with the amount he purchased, to be recorded on the books of the District Attorney of the County Court where he lives. This means that it is probable that the names of all "bootleggers" will be in the list that will eventually be printed by the newspapers.

Man Peculiarly Paralyzed.
Bristol, Va., November 17.—D. A. Davis, a wealthy merchant of Maywood, Johnson County, Tenn., has returned from Baltimore, where he spent some time in Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment of a peculiar kind of paralysis. He is partially paralyzed on his left side, and while he still has the use of his left hand and arm, he is devoid of sense of touch with the left hand, and, although conscious by reason of sight, when his left hand has hold of an object, he does not know it through the sense of touch. He is somewhat improved.

The Ginter Park Residents' Association will meet in the schoolhouse to-night to consider the question of improved transportation.

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